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TELEGRAPHIC.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT HOME
Winnipeg, Sept. 5.
President Roosevelt is home.

MANITOBA HORSE SECOND.
Hardcase, a Manitoba horse, was second in the 2.18 class at the St. Paul race.

WRAY CHALLENGES TOWNS
Jas. Wray, of Harvard, has challenged Geo. Towns for the world's sculling championship.

METHODIST CONFERENCE OPENED.
The Methodist general conference has opened in Winnipeg. Committee's have been organized, a secretary elected, and the annual address of the general superintendent read by Rev. Dr. Carman.

BISLEY TEAM CHOSEN.
The Bisley team has been picked out at Ottawa.

WHEAT.
New Manitoba wheat has been graded at Toronto and Montreal.
Warmer weather has turned the wheat prices.

ACCIDENT.
Sixteen lives were lost in a mine explosion in Monmouthshire.

FIRE.
A theatre and music hall in Cincinnati, valued at \$110,000, was destroyed by fire.
The Barker Lumber Co's mill at Barford, Ont., was destroyed by fire.
Mount Baker Hotel, Victoria, B. C., was destroyed by fire.

GENERAL.
A representative of the manufacturers discussed Hon. Mr. Sifton's interview on the tariff at the Toronto fair directors luncheon.
Major Billman, of Winnipeg, may remove to the east to be drill inspector at the camps.
The shooting of publisher, Fred Marshall, has caused a great sensation in San Francisco.
Geo. Young, Brandon, has been appointed principal of Portage La Prairie schools.
The Anglican synod, Montreal, discussed the proposed new missionary society.
Mrs. Kraft, of Beaudette, Minn., has been arrested at St. Catharines, Ont.
An expedition has been sent against the Kaffirs along the Orange river.
Crillon won Manitoba club's derby at Carman field trials.
Coal prices in Winnipeg have not yet been advanced.
There are 68 socialist leagues in Canada.

—Tuesday morning's train going south had three coaches. Amongst the passengers were H. C. Taylor, Mrs. J. Chener, Mr. and Mrs. Charbonneau, of Edmonton, and Dr. Archibald, of Strathcona, ticketed to Calgary; G. J. Bryan, school inspector, to Wetaskiwin; Mrs. Bryan to Lacombe; Red Deer baseball team returning with the Raymer cup and Miller medals, and Mr. C. Neher and son to Banff where Mr. Neher, et al., hopes to improve his health and regain strength after his serious illness in which he lost his arm.

—On the farm of Mr. Dave McFarlane, adjoining Strathcona cemetery hill may be seen some good samples of what Alberta can produce. A fine patch of flax is now ready to cut and is as good a crop as could be desired. A small patch of peas, now an experiment are beginning to ripen, so also is a small area of speltz. The garden of vegetables and flowers is an eye-opener to visitors who have come in prospecting.

—R. Aldridge, of Hallier & Aldridge, and Cecil Sutherland, of W. Johnstone Walker's staff, left yesterday for the Black Mud where they will spend a week's holiday camping. They will be joined later in the week by E. Morris, from Potter & Macdougall's.

—P. Anderson & Co., have turned out 89,000 bricks this year and expect to make a half million more this fall. A kiln of pressed and ornamental brick and a few drain tiles are being burned now.

—H. C. Teller, W. Strachan, H. G. Strachan and Jos. Robinson, a party of Montreal capitalists, are in town on a prospecting tour. Yesterday they drove out to Beaver Lake and speak well of the country they saw.

—Jos. Lydiat, general superintendent of the Dominion of Canada Guaranties and Accident Insurance Co., was in town this week and appointed John F. Forbes general agent for Edmonton district.

—H. E. R. Rogers, resident agent for the Settlers' Colonization Co., left this morning for Winnipeg to take charge of the work there. P. E. Butchart will look after the Edmonton branch.

—H. Conroy, inspector treaty No. 8, has just returned from the north where he has been travelling since April, paying treaty money.

LOCAL.

—R. Hoar and G. Morris visited Leduc on Monday.

—Duck shooting was the favorite sport on Labor day.

—John Clegg has bought the Driad hotel at Wetaskiwin.

—Open season for prairie chicken begins on Monday, Sept. 15th.

—A. Hebert and C. Chevinay, of St. Albert, were in town Tuesday.

—The Queen's Hotel is being sheeted on the front with fire tinning.

—A new electric light line has been completed from the power house to McKay avenue.

—Geo. Hutton is erecting a building opposite W. H. Clark's office, to be used as a blacksmith shop.

—Messrs. McCorkindale, Young and York headed for Sundry lake and secured 43 ducks on Monday.

—Messrs. H. Cartwright and Groat spent Monday duck shooting north of Bow and report good sport.

—Geo. G. Mann, Indian agent at Saddle Lake, and S. Whitford, of the same place, were in town Wednesday.

—Rev. A. MacDonald, pastor of the Baptist church, went to Wetaskiwin on Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

—Messrs. Race, Richardson and R. Bellamy drove out to Clover Bar vicinity and bagged 40 ducks on Monday.

—Geo. Dose, of Beaver Hills, E. Kirkpatrick, of Leduc, and L. Boudreau, of St. Albert, were in town Tuesday.

—The funeral of little Gordon Brewster, who died on Sunday, took place on Tuesday afternoon to the Edmonton cemetery.

—G. P. Grierson, of Anaconda, Mont., is visiting his brothers in town. E. Grierson, poundkeeper, and A. Grierson, of the Alberta Hotel.

—F. Oliver went to Ponoka on Tuesday to address a meeting there that night. He went on to Calgary on Wednesday to visit the fair.

—Saigeon & McRae, tailors, have removed from the stand next the Imperial Bank, into the premises lately occupied as a tailor shop by F. M. Shoults.

—Two scows were built last week at Fraser's mill for the government telegraph agencies at Victoria and Saddle Lake, and went down the river with supplies.

—The Field, Garden and Forest is the title of a new monthly journal devoted to horticulture and forestry, published at Brandon, Man. The first issue appeared in August.

—C. Parker, of Fredericksburg, Iowa, visited town this week on a prospecting tour. He is confident that Alberta will attract many settlers from Iowa in the next few years.

—At the rifle range on Monday W. Pearce made the highest score and Lieut. Anderson came second. Lieut. Anderson was the only man who fired every shot without a miss.

—Considerable quantities of blueberries are being offered for sale in town by pickers from the surrounding country. They are of a good quality this year and sell for \$1 a pail.

—Messrs. Sbbald, Helliwell, R. Robertson, Bishopric, J. Greenwood, H. Greenwood, H. Robertson and Johns succeeded in bagging 153 at the Black Mud on Monday. About half of these were fine mallards.

—Excavations for a branch of the main sewer are being made on Namayo avenue. The work is being pushed as rapidly as possible. Considerable water is encountered which necessitates extra labor in pumping out every morning.

—Writing us from Wetaskiwin, R. C. Bauer, lumber merchant, says: "We have had severe hail storms but think that the new acreage will equal what has been destroyed, and that there will be as much grain marketed as last year."

—The Winnipeg Telegram publishes a list of points throughout Manitoba and Assiniboia showing the number of harvest hands sent to each place. They have been well distributed and work has been secured for all at an average of \$45 per month and board.

—The Bellamy Co., have sold two complete thrashing outfits to threshers in the Sturgeon and Fort Saskatchewan districts. The machines for the Sturgeon, purchased by McLean & Co., were taken north on Tuesday, the others will leave when required. They are manufactured by the Nicols-Shapard Co., Battle River, Mich. The engines are 20 horse power, traction, and the separators are fitted with the latest baggers and wind stackers.

—On Monday the Baptist Sunday school held their picnic on Groat's Lake. Early in the forenoon the children began to flock down the hill and by 10 o'clock a goodly number had assembled. Dinner was served on the grounds. The afternoon was spent in the usual merry picnic style. The weather was fine and the flat an ideal place for picnicing or camping. Tea place was served early in the evening and the tired picnickers returned before dark well pleased with the day's outing.

—The Dowling mill is being repaired. Alex. Taylor and son are holidaying at Banff.

—H. C. Taylor returned from Calgary last night.

—Dr. Jamieson returned Wednesday evening from Lacombe.

—J. H. Reid came in from Lesser Slave lake on Wednesday.

—J. Gibbons, Indian agent at Stony Plain, was in town yesterday.

—Rev. Mrs. Thos. Marsh and baby are in from Lesser Slave lake.

—R. Secord, M. L. A., left Wednesday morning for Athabasca Landing.

—Miss Hooper, from the coast is visiting her father, W. H. Hooper.

—Mrs. H. D. Johnston and Miss Elsie Johnston are holidaying near Calgary.

—Charlie Sing is opening a restaurant in the stand recently vacated by Clutton Bros.

—Wm. Easton is erecting a building directly west of Robertson Hall, to be leased as a store.

—J. J. Rouse, from Bracebridge, Ont., is giving nightly street evangelistic addresses and songs this week.

—Mr. Fisher, manager of the Hudson's Bay store, left this morning on a business trip to Winnipeg.

—K. A. McLeod expects to have the west half of his new block completed by Oct. 1st. It will be occupied by J. W. Morris.

—A garden party for the benefit of the Edmonton General Hospital, will be held on Friday, Sept. 12th, at the residence of P. Roy, M. D.

—Albert T. Heath has brought in his family from Michigan and taken up residence in the house recently occupied by W. H. Cooper.

—P. D. McTavish, of Calgary, visited town this week in the interests of the International Correspondence schools, of Scranton, Penn.

—Canada Lumberman; Cushing Bros have recently made extensive improvements to their sash and door factory at Edmonton, N. W. T.

—Edmiston & McGeorge have removed their offices from the post office block to the stand vacated by Saigeon & McRae, Imperial Bank block.

—C. W. Dawson, inspector of penitentiaries, and E. J. Adams, architect of the penitentiary branch of the justice department, left for the coast on Tuesday.

—W. I. Crafts, of the Alberta Land Co., and party of land seekers are making an extended tour locating land throughout the Vermilion and neighboring districts.

J. T. BLOWEY.



TABLES that will not groan.
HAIRS that will set you comfortably.
SIDEBOARDS that will hold the reserve.
COUCHES that will rest you.
BEDS that will give you sweet repose.
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We buy for two large stores, and buy for spot cash, taking advantage of all that spot cash means.
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Plain or Twill, in 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2, 2 3/4 yds.

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Plain or Twill, in 1 1/2 to 2 3/4 yards wide.

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Hessians

Flannellette Blankets
Large size, White or Grey, \$1 a pair.

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First Vice-President and Managing Director,	J. HERBERT MASON
Second Vice-President,	W. H. BEATTY
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Big Inducement Prices in all Lines.

About 50 MEN'S SUITS, at 20 per cent. reduction.
" 50 YOUTHS' AND BOYS' SUITS, at 20 per cent. reduction.
" 200 PAIRS OF ODD PANTS, at 25 per cent. off.
" 500 PAIRS OF LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES, at 20 per cent. reduction.

Everything in Summer Goods is booked for a quick sale. So now is the time for profitable purchases.

JOHN I. MILLS, Edmonton.

Are You?

Are you going to build a Store, House, Barn, Granary or anything else?
Are you going to make any repairs about your place?
Are you looking for the best manufactured rough lumber?
Are you looking for the lumber firm which will give your order careful attention?
If you can say "Yes" to any of these questions, we beg to inform you that we are getting in the largest red best stock of Building Materials we have yet had, and will do our best to give you satisfaction in price and quality.

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To our new store in the McLeod Block, just opp. John Ross & Co.

ABOUT FIRST OCTOBER

And will open up with a full line of

Groceries
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Furnishings
JOHN W. MORRIS

Pearls
NEVER WERE MORE POPULAR
Than at the present; nor can we wonder, for who does not admire the beautiful soft luster of THE ORIENTAL PEARL.
And when combined with the brilliancy of THE DIAMOND
Their beauty is incomparable.
I have them in RINGS AND BROOCHES FROM \$4.50 to \$75.00.
A. Bruce Powley
JEWELER.
Late in charge of C. F. B. Watch Inspection at Brandon.

Horses for Sale.

—AT—
Hutton's Big Red Barn.

After public inspection the unanimous verdict is they are a choice lot, weighing from 1000lbs to 1400lbs each, none of the cayuse outfit.
The firm we represent is George Lane & Co.'s, who have over 2,000 head, and our instructions are to bring nothing but the best.
We are new comers, would like to get acquainted with you. We are here to do business. Our prices are such we feel confident of success.
Another car to arrive about the 20th. This lot is heavier than the first arrivals.
Call and see us.
Respectfully,
JOHN GILES & SON, MGRS

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On Improved Farm Property.
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EDMONTON BULLETIN, SEPT. 5th, 1902

PONOKA.

A meeting was held here on Tuesday night at the call of the local liberal association to hear a talk on Canadian politics. The association has been organized recently with R. W. McKinnell president, and John A. Fairley, secretary. The association numbers thirty members, and includes a goodly proportion of business men of what is acknowledged to be the most enterprising town on the C. & E. line. The meeting was held in the upper flat of the new school building which is fitted up for the present as a public hall. The seating capacity of the hall was fully occupied. The Ponoka band was present and gave a number of selections which were much appreciated.

The chair was taken by the president who spoke of the formation of the association and the desire of the members to some extent to become acquainted with them so as to take part at the proper time in the direction of the government of the country. They had invited P. Talbot, M. L. A., of the district and F. Oliver, M. P., of Alberta, to address a meeting at Ponoka.

C. C. Reid, of Ponoka, was first called on as representing the settlers from the United States, who form the largest part of the population of Ponoka. He spoke cleverly and eloquently on the position of the United States settler in Canada. They came in response to the invitation of Canada. They appreciated the invitation, the opportunities afforded by this new country and the fair treatment they had received since coming. They had come to build up not to pull down. To go forward not to go back. They were anxious in the land they left which they hoped would be avoided here. The capitalist was in the saddle throughout the United States. This was not true to the same extent in Canada, and it was the hope of the United States settlers that it would not become true. There was a lack of knowledge as to matters Canadian in the United States and consequently many mistaken ideas. Many settlers from the United States were surprised to find that they had come to a country as free and in some respects better governed than their own. They were anxious to learn more of the country, and were keeping a sharp look out on the administration of the law and of government. They wanted to see if the big bird, the sampanquin, the little thief, and would make up their minds according to the results of their observations.

P. Talbot, M. L. A., was next called on and gave a short, clear and well connected sketch of the history of Canada from its discovery to the present time, and drew attention to the merit of the administration of several departments of the government under the present administration.

F. Oliver, M. P., alluded to the "American invasion" of the Northwest. It was not a new thing for from the first the history of English speaking Canada began with the coming of settlers from the United States at the close of the revolutionary war. These men laid the foundations of the Canada of today. He spoke of the division of political views in Canada between the liberal and conservative parties. There were not merely on points of present practice and policy but were traditional as well, and came down from the early days when representative government and free institutions were secured for Canada by the struggles and sacrifices of those who were known then as rebels, their sons as reformers and the present generation as liberals. The liberal-conservative party of today was in the same way the liberal descendant and living representative of the men who upheld glass privileges, a state church, and government by an oligarchy 60 years ago. Conditions had changed and no one now justified the conditions which prevailed then. But the two parties still stood divided as before on the questions of monopolies and class privileges as they exist to-day. A campaign was now in progress for an increase in the tariff in favor of the manufacturers who of recent years were largely identified with monopolies and combines. This movement had the support of the conservatives and was opposed by the liberals.

The liberals wished well to the manufacturers, and were willing that they should have all the advantage coming from a fair revenue tariff, but did not admit that the manufacturer should have an unfair advantage over other classes of the community.

Rev. Mr. Perry addressed the meeting shortly and the meeting was closed by the band playing God Save the King.

After the conclusion of the meeting

dinner was given at the Royal hotel by the local liberal association to the speakers of the evening and visitors from Lacombe and other points. The chair was taken by Mr. McKinnell and the vice-chair by C. C. Reid. A very pleasant evening was spent and short speeches were made by Messrs. Skinner, Insip, Trimble and Thomas, of Lacombe, and others.

COUNCIL MEETING.

The council met in the council chamber on Wednesday evening. There were present Mayor Short and Councilors Henry, Gallagher, Grierson, Heinsick and Morris.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Communications were received from R. Ochener offering to buy a car of cement which he understood the town had in excess of what they needed.

From O. Bishop offering \$100 for the Leonard-Bell engine and belting for the Morinville Milling Co.

From the Robb Engineering Co. quoting prices for sewer piping, etc.

From the Great West Saddlery Co. protesting against the letting of the tenders for belting for the new electric light power house. The grounds were that they were given to understand there was no rush for the tenders to be in and that before theirs was submitted the contract had been let.

Report from G. J. Kinnaird, secretary, town of Edmonton, stating that he had issued a second mortgage note for \$10,000 to the Imperial Bank upon security of debenture No. 44, first debenture on the waterworks.

From Engineer Chipman asking that his salary be placed to his credit in the Imperial Bank, Edmonton, and regarding pumping machinery.

From J. E. Wallbridge notifying the town that Messrs. Dobson, Jackson & Fry are being put to a loss by certain materials for the sewers not being on hand, and threatening damages for same.

From Engineer Ashbridge re the water tank at the Imperial Bank corner stating that the leak was caused by improper foundation when the tank was erected and instructing that it be relined with half-inch material.

From the Robb Engineering Co. regarding delivery of engine.

From J. Whitelaw asking that permission be given to move his warehouse nearer his store.

From the Canadian Electric Co. stating that supplies will be shipped by which ever route is cheapest.

From W. B. Finlay, Kamloops, asking for information as to chances of business in the photograph line.

From J. S. Dennis, deputy commissioner of public works, re trail across river lot No. 2, stating that if the town pass a resolution asking that the trail be kept open that it will be surveyed and repaired as nearly the old trail as is advisable and work on the new survey be stopped if Mr. Groat is willing.

The following motions were made: Gallagher-Morris.—That R. Ochener be informed that the town has no cement for sale.

Mr. McNaughton was present and was asked to recommend a price for the Leonard-Bell engine. He gave as his estimate two-thirds the original cost which amounted to \$400.

Morris-Henry.—That the offer of O. Bishopric of \$400 for the Leonard-Bell engine and belt be accepted.

Morris-Henry.—That Mr. McNaughton be asked to secure tenders for piping, etc., concerning which the Robb Engineering Co. wrote.

Mr. McNaughton reported that difficulties were experienced with electric light employees leaving without giving sufficient warning, and asked that arrangements be made whereby at least two weeks notice be made compulsory.

Gallagher-Morris.—That the report be adopted and the fire, light and water committee, the sec-treas., and Mr. McNaughton be instructed to draw up a code of by-laws governing the electric light affairs.

Henry-Morris.—That the Great West Saddlery Co. be notified that the council is not in a position to reopen the tenders for belting.

Morris-Gallagher.—That the report of the sec-treas. re note of \$10,000 be adopted.

Gallagher-Grierson.—That Mr. Chipman be informed that his accounts will be paid as requested and that the town relies on his recommendation of the pumping machinery. Carried.

Gallagher-Henry.—That Wallbridge's letter be referred to the engineer and solicitor.

Gallagher-Grierson.—That the engineer's instructions re the water tank be carried out. Cashing Bros. being requested to do the work if not the town to do it and collect from them.

Morris-Henry, as an amendment.—That a joint arrangement be proposed with Cashing Bros. whereby the expense of repairing the tank be shared by them and the town.

Amendment carried.

The letter from the Robb Engineering Co. and Canadian Electric Co. was filed.

Morris-Grierson.—That Mr. Whitelaw's request be granted, allowing him to move his warehouse without sheet-

Morris-Grierson.—That the old trail across Mr. Groat's property be desired to be adhered to, and Engineer Driscoll be instructed to proceed with work in it. Carried.

A petition from residents of Fourth street, H. B. Recurve, asking that certain grading be done on the hill, Messrs. Easton and Killen spoke in favor of it and Prof. Breton reported on a survey made showing it impossible to get a good grade.

Morris-Gallagher.—That the town take no steps at present to grade the hill on Fourth street. Carried.

Coun. Morris reported that trucks could be secured in town to move the new machinery.

Henry-Gallagher.—That his report be adopted. Carried.

Morris-Henry.—That the chairman of the health and relief committee request, through F. Oliver, M. P., permission from the government to use the jail site for nuisance purposes.

Considerable discussion took place regarding a case of small pox in town.

Gallagher-Grierson.—That the secretary-treasurer be instructed to write the Northwest Government requesting them to build an isolation hospital in Edmonton.

Secretary-Treasurer Kinnaird asked for a two weeks' leave of absence for a holiday.

Morris-Gallagher.—That the secretary-treasurer be allowed holidays from after 17th to end of month. Carried.

The following accounts were recommended for payment:

K. W. Mackenzie, stationery,	\$43.00
C. P. R. Co., telegrams,	11.05
Bulletin Co., printing, etc.,	23.25
Town Officials, salaries,	473.33
Domestic Express Co., express,	.45
Johnston & Eames, freight, etc.,	557.62
Pay Sheet, labor,	263.10
Edmonton Cartage Co., cartage,	201.11
J. W. Huff, ditching, etc.,	200.00
Pay Sheet, street labor,	87.50
D. R. Fraser & Co., lumber,	213.04
H. H. Clarke, tools,	1.70
Jos. Scovier, brushing,	15.00
Electric light, lighting,	90.25
T. Beauden, fire dept. expense,	1.80
Police interpreters, services,	4.50
H. Schincke, nuisance ground,	35.00
F. Kramer, scavenging,	2.90
	\$2,185.90

Credit Auction Sale

Farm Stock and Implements

COWS, YOUNG CATTLE, HORSES, COLTS, PIGS.

—AT THE—

Residence of Donald McDonald

North of Edmonton about 6 miles

Sec. 30, Tp. 53, Rg. 24, on

Thursday, Sept. 18th, 1902

At One O'clock, Sharp.

The subscriber has been instructed by Donald McDonald to sell his valuable stock and implements on above date and place without reserve.

One heavy draught horse 7 years old, 5 general purpose horses, 3 colts, 9 cows, 10 steers from 2 to 3 years old, 7 heifers and steers from 6 months to 2 years old, 5 brood sows, 23 young pigs, 1 binder, 1 seed drill Massey-Harris, 1 set 4 section drag harrow, 1 disc harrow 16 discs 20 in, 1 breaking plow, 1 mower, 1 rake.

The above stock and effects will be sold absolutely without reserve as Mr. McDonald is retiring from farming.

Terms on stock cash or bankable paper; on implements ten dollars and under cash over that amount 16 months will be given by furnishing approved joint notes bearing 8 per cent interest.

A. E. POTTER, Auctioneer.

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Capital \$10,000,000.

City and Farm Insurance at lowest rates.

W. H. COOPER

AGENT FOR EDMONTON.

ESTRAY PIGS.

Come onto the premises of the undersigned 4 pigs about 200 weight, 3 white and 1 black, also 22 spring pigs, 10 black and 12 white. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and remove at once.

G. CARNegie.

C. KERSTIAN.

63-11.

Auction Sale

AT

EDMONTON AUCTION

HOUSE

—OF—

CARPETS, RUGS, TOWLS, TOWLING

Table Cloths, Eiderdown Quilts, Pillow Slips, Hot Sprains, Lace & Crocheted Curtains, Gray & White all wool Blankets, from 6 to 10 lbs weight; Granite, Delft, Hardware.

Also a large consignment of Mrs. A. & B. Boys' Underwear, of the latest patterns, all wool and lace lined.

Which are instructed to sell by Public Auction, starting on

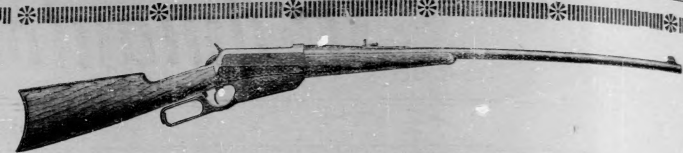
Tuesday Evening, Sept 2nd

At 8 o'clock, sharp

And continuing selling every Tuesday evening until this lot is completely sold out.

Elevated seating provided for ladies.

A. E. POTTER, Auctioneer.



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"JOHNNIE GET YOUR GUN."

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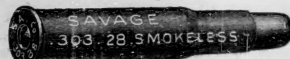
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Sess. Aug. 27.
Selling harvesting and haying week continues, and everyone is "making hay while the sun shines."
A good head of water in the irrigation ditch came into town on Friday and gardens and trees are receiving a good soaking.

Please do not destroy that luxuriant growth of weeds between that fence and sidewalk. They are extremely ornamental only occupy one-fourth of the sidewalk, and are absolutely indispensable for brushing the dust from ladies skirts. Please do not destroy them.

Mr. P. J. Cunningham brought in to town a sample of potatoes grown on his ranch which promise an enormous crop. The tubers are large and clean. Market garden truck of various descriptions is also being liberally supplied by local growers and the quality of everything is exceptionally fine.

An accident occurred to the incoming train on the Great Falls & Canada line last Saturday when about three miles north of Shelby. A passenger car containing twenty passengers, the baggage and three freight cars were derailed and dragged some little distance. Fortunately no one received serious injuries, although all were badly shaken up and some were marked with small cuts and abrasions. The rolling stock was considerably damaged.

A rather peculiar incident which might have been fraught with serious consequences occurred after the fire brigade practice on Monday evening. At the conclusion of the practice the fire was drawn from the engine and everything put in shape for use again, including the fixing up of the kindling in the fire box. After attending to various matters it was nearly 10:30 before the chief left the hall, but had not been gone two minutes before the alarm rang, and he rapidly retraced his steps. On arriving at the hall flames were blazing from the smoke-stack of the engine, and there help arriving the threatened danger was avoided by running the engine out into the open. The ceiling was badly scorched, and although it was two hours or more after the fire was drawn, it is presumed that a lingering spark was the cause of the catastrophe.

REGINA

Leader, Aug. 28.
A large number of harvest hands have been arriving in Regina on all trains from the east during the past few days. Two or three hundred came in on Sunday, many of whom went north the following day. It is stated that there are not quite enough men here yet. The Toronto Daily News after interviewing many of the men passing through that city for the week make the assertion that from 25 to 30 per cent leave with the intention of settling permanently in the west, and another 15 to 20 per cent have some idea of settling here, but are reserving decision until they have looked over the country and measured the prospects.

Attached to the east bound train last night was the private car Alberta which was occupied by a party of extra members of parliament, who were returning home from a visit to British Columbia and the west. In the party were Charles S. Hyman, London, Ont.; Mollon K. Cowan, South Essex; Charles H. Parnelle, Sherbrooke, Que.; and Lighthouse G. McFarland, North Simcoe.

Everything in the west is growing and expanding these days and in order to provide better accommodation for the members of the legislative assembly, who will number four more this year than last, an addition of ten feet is being added to the south end of the chamber.

The engagement is announced of Miss Anna Rouleau, eldest daughter of the late Judge Rouleau, to Harry O. Alexander, of Vancouver, B. C.

MacLeod Gazette: Macneil Bros. shipped another trainload of export cattle on Tuesday of this week, and one trainload went for P. Burns & Co.

MacLeod Gazette: The Frank is to have another industry. The Frank Steele Brewing Co., of Fernie, have decided to put in a branch in the new coal town and will proceed with the erection of a brewery at once.

Governor Ross Improving
The following is an extract from a letter in the Dawson Sun regarding James Ross: "His articulation is still very indistinct and some words he is unable to say at all, but each day he can say some new words, and his progress, though gradual is nevertheless very steady. The doctors all anticipate a complete recovery, but have said nothing so far as his methods of life later on. He will remain here until able to be moved, and then will go direct to Victoria, where he will have to stay until completely recovered. The paralysis is confined to the right arm and the organ of speech but the side and leg are unaffected."

More Jaw Times: Up to the present time Jaw farmers have registered applications for upwards of three hundred acres. Only about 150 have as yet registered their requirements, and we feel sure in saying that fully five or six hundred men will be able to find employment in the district if all goes well with the crop.

WRECK NEAR MACLEOD.

Calgary Herald, Aug. 29.—Last night shortly after leaving MacLeod, the train on the south branch was wrecked, the whole train, with the exception of the engine and passenger coach, leaving the track and being dumped into a slough. A car of horses next the engine left the track, but neither the horses nor the man in charge were injured. The remarkable thing about the wreck is that the passenger coach was not thrown into the slough along with the rest of the train.

A box car was sent down to bring up the passengers, 25 in number, who arrived in the city this morning about seven o'clock.

Among the travelling public a general impression exists that the railway to MacLeod is in a very unsafe condition and in sore need of repairs.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Monday.

Queen's—H. Crammish, E. Dodd, Red Deer; Geo. Sutter, Neil Sutter, W. H. White, G. H. McAvoy, D. J. Simons, W. Stevens, O. K. Morris, Chas. T. Stewart, Geo. Cranston, Fort Saskatchewan; Geo. A. Metcalfe, Winnipeg; J. E. McConnell, Ottawa; Gus Doze, Beaver Hills; L. O. Hooper, town.

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Alberta—Chas. F. Williams, Hamilton; H. L. Williams, London; Wm. Holden, M. McSwyn, Vancouver; M. E. Johnston, Minn.; J. W. Shera, D. J. Simons, Fort Saskatchewan; Robt. Mayes, Dallas, Oregon; Thos. Cowan, Jas. Lydiatt, Toronto; Wm. Sorimes, J. R. McMillan, S. Axfield, Geo. M. Christie, Winnipeg; T. W. Temple, Blue Earth, Minn.

Victoria—C. Verstrate, St. Albert; Frank Hamilton, Wetaskiwin; H. A. McEwen, Jas. Somerville, Calgary;

Grand View—A. Farland, Nelson, B. C.; J. R. Harger, J. W. Dove, M. J. Manning, town; E. E. Morin, Toronto; W. Sacett, Stony Plain; E. A. Furness, M. E. Gray, Geo. A. Lee, Danbury, Iowa; A. Walker and wife, A. Russell and wife, Hawkinson, N. D.

Conservative Party of Visitors to the West.

Tribune.—Hullfax, N. S., Aug. 29.—R. L. Borden, M. P., leader of the opposition, in the house of commons, will start from Halifax Monday morning, on a trip to British Columbia, Manitoba, and the Northwest.

He will be accompanied by some twenty leading men of the liberal-conservative party. From this province Mr. Borden will be accompanied by A. C. Bell, M. P., of New Glasgow. Prince Edward Island will send with him either Mr. Hackett or Mr. LeFargy. He will have from New Brunswick these gentlemen; H. A. Powell, ex-M. P., for Westmorland; Major George Fowler, M. P., for Kings and George V. McInerney, ex-M. P., for Kent; F. D. Monk, K. C., and three others from Quebec will accompany him. Mr. Borden's Ontario conferees on this western trip will be E. F. Clarke, M. P., Toronto; Jas. Clancy, M. P., Bothwell; Dr. Sproule, M. P., East Grey; W. H. Bennett, M. P., Simcoe; Richard Blinn, M. P., Peel; W. B. Northrop, M. P., West Hastings. The first meeting will be in Victoria Monday, Sept. 8.

Inferior Fruit.

Free Press: The Dominion fruit inspector at Winnipeg has sent to the department a box of apples taken from the middle of a consignment of apples shipped to Winnipeg by a firm in Apple. The apples were described by the shipper as "fine Canadian apples." Two specimens sent to the department are of very poor quality indeed. Twenty of them weigh only 28 ounces. Twenty have eggs of good average size would weigh 40 ounces. It is too bad that Ontario fruit is being shipped to the excellent markets of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories in this dishonest manner. It is killing the trade and playing directly into the hands of the fruit growers and shippers from California.

The inspector has been instructed to prosecute the shipper in this instance, and in every similar instance which comes under his notice.

The new S. A. Medals.

Free Press: The design for the second South African war decoration has been approved by the King. It will bear on one side the effigy of His Majesty. The medal will have two bars—one inscribed 1900-1901, the other 1901-1902. Service throughout the whole campaign will entitle men to both bars. The details of the issue are not yet complete.

Lord Kitchener is the officer responsible for the idea of a second decoration, and in this matter has acted with characteristic energy. Instead of consulting the war office first, he promised his men the decoration and afterwards informed the War Office authorities that it was generally expected by the troops, with the result that it was granted without waste of time, ink or labor.

Cape Town, Aug. 30.—Dr. Jameson made his first speech in two years to the Cape House of assembly yesterday. He said the raid was a bad blow, but penance had been done, and he thought the affair might now be forgotten by fair-minded men.

Australia may Take Our Oats.

The Free Press, of Aug. 29th, reports an interview with Mr. W. R. Macleinn, assistant traffic manager of the C. P. R., who had just returned from a trip to the coast. Referring to the Edmonton district, Mr. Macleinn said, "When in Vancouver I heard of the large crop of oats in the Edmonton district. As the S.S. 'Mowera' was just sailing for Australia, I wrote to our representatives to see if an export market is available. Australia buys oats altogether on 'sample,' so that as soon as the new crop is ready standard samples should be sent to reliable brokers when cable offers will be made. Mr. Peters, our general freight agent at Vancouver, has already taken up the question of exporting potatoes from British Columbia. If there is any real demand we shall do our best to open up that market for Canadian products, the same as we have for flour."

Britain Secures Delago Bay.

Winnipeg Free Press.

One of the most interesting rumors of the black season in London relates to Delago Bay. It is asserted that the purchase of Portuguese possessions in East Africa will be announced when parliament meets, and that it will be followed by a German acquisition of a portion of them in accordance with a secret convention with Great Britain. There is no direct confirmation of this story from an authentic source, but there is circumstantial evidence that Lord Milner's recent visit to Lorenzo Marques has never been satisfactorily explained, nor have the proposed annexations of the Transvaal territory to Natal any significance unless the intervening district adjacent to the Portuguese frontier can also be added. Showed men, not often deceived on South African questions, are predicting a speedy purchase of the Portuguese territory, the extension of Natal northward and material compensation in Germany for the neutrality maintained during the Boer campaign. The war was rendered difficult at the outset by the natural base of supplies which the Boers had secured through the complicity of the Portuguese officials, and their preparations for the campaign were greatly facilitated by the Netherlands railway leading to the coast. It is assumed by well informed men that Great Britain will purchase the Portuguese territory in order to have a safeguard against secret purchases of arms by disaffected Dutch.

Cowie Reports on the Doukhobors.

Tribune: Isaac Cowie, the well-known writer and authority on North-west matters, has just returned from a visit to the Swan river colony, where so many of the Doukhobors are located in the big colony. Mr. Cowie reports that an extreme form of religious mania has broken out among them, of the character so fully described by the Tribune's Yorkton correspondent yesterday. Mr. Cowie says it is quite true that the Doukhobors are turning their cattle and their horses adrift to enjoy perfect freedom in the hills, as they do not think it right to keep the animals in what they regard as captivity and servitude. Neither do they desire to wear any material which in any way is derived from these animals. Their religious scruples appear to be increasing in rigor daily, and it is hard to tell where they will land. The men hitch themselves up and do the work of beasts of burden, drawing the plows, vehicles, etc., etc. Mr. Cowie says it is difficult not to respect the earnestness and sincerity of these people and it is most unfortunate to see them so misguided. Their attitude cannot fail to work an injury to their prospects.

Threshing in Manitoba.

Free Press: Portage la Prairie, Aug. 29.—Great progress has been made in the Plains' wheat fields this week, and several farmers have finished cutting their wheat. The first wheat threshing begins to-morrow on the Leader farm, west of town.

The cry for harvest help still continues, and many large fields are to be seen where the grain is cut and lying unthreshed, owing to the scarcity of labor.

The yield outlook is excellent and will average about 30 bushels. This is a good showing when it is considered that the land here has been worked for 25 to 30 years. The weather conditions have been perfect.

Fruit in Manitoba.

Tribune: Within half a mile of Grana there is an orchard of apples and plums, whose yield is equal to any of its size and age in Ontario. The apple trees are loaded down with crabs, and the larger species, although the trees are still very young, and the owner will gather at least a barrel from each two trees. As there are over twenty apple trees, this harvest is not to be despised as the day of small things has usually been, according to the best authority. The plums are chiefly wild trees, but owing to cultivation the fruit has lost its wild taste and is quite equal to that grown in the Ottawa valley in Ontario; where, it may be remembered, the plums are also the result of judicious choice and cultivation of wild trees. In looking at such results as the above we wonder whether it is the climate or the laziness and apathy of the residents that forbids fruit raising in Manitoba.

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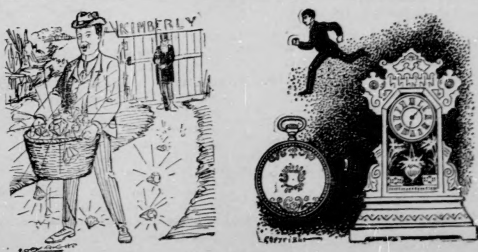
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Although the membership is considerably over 100 less than half were able to attend. Those who were present spent a most enjoyable and profitable day. Proceedings were carried on systematically and the scoring passed off without any accident.

Each member was provided with free ammunition and fired 42 shots in all, 14 at 200 yards kneeling, 7 at 300 yards lying, 7 at 500 yards, 7 at 600 yards and 7 at 200 yards, these 7 to be fired in 1 minute. The possible score was 210.

The class firing has been brought on rather early in the season. As the range was only opened in July many members had little opportunity for practice, nevertheless, some fairly good scoring was made, as given below;

200 yards; 14 shots; kneeling; Possible score 70;

Martin,	37
Pearce,	49
McCallum,	29
Green,	31
Brenton,	39
Anderson,	31
Graydon,	27
Holloway,	31
Barhouse,	43
Grindley,	35
Griesbach,	27
Godall,	5
Haddock,	36
Reid, J. W.,	12
Ross, D.,	6
Braithwaite,	33
Dowsett,	10
McDonald, Jas.,	32
MacKenzie, K. W.,	11
Bellfield,	27
Hooper,	32
Whitelaw,	38
Jaquish,	15
Bellamy,	15
Heist,	21

At 300 yards; 7 shots lying; Possible score 35;

Martin,	23
Pearce,	23
McCallum,	17
Green,	14
Brenton,	15
Anderson,	22
Graydon,	14
Holloway,	12
Barhouse,	21
Grindley,	8
Griesbach,	18
Godall,	4
Haddock,	4
Reid,	2
McDonald, Jas.,	18
MacKenzie,	6
Hooper,	17
Whitelaw,	22
McLeod,	10
Cooper,	19
Howey,	14
McInnis,	22
Sigler,	7
Pickard,	0
Rudd,	20
Dowsett,	2
Heist,	2
Bellamy,	7

At 500 yards; 7 shots; Possible score 35;

Martin,	25
Pearce,	19
Green,	18
Brenton,	11
Anderson,	21
Graydon,	4
Holloway,	9
Barhouse,	2
Grindley,	20
Griesbach,	20
Godall,	14
Haddock,	28
Reid,	17
MacKenzie,	12
Whitelaw,	6
McLeod,	16
Cooper,	27
Howey,	22
McInnis,	6
Sigler,	2
Pickard,	4
Rudd,	15
Dowsett,	0
Heist,	21
Bellamy,	13

At 600 yards; 7 shots; Possible score 35;

Martin,	15
Pearce,	22
Green,	11
Brenton,	3
Anderson,	20
Graydon,	2
Holloway,	2
Barhouse,	18
Grindley,	9
Griesbach,	18
Godall,	0
Haddock,	18
Reid,	5
McDonald,	17
MacKenzie,	4
Whitelaw,	9
McLeod,	13
Cooper,	16
McInnis,	6
Sigler,	5
Rudd,	12
Heist,	22
Bellamy,	0
Jaquish,	19

1 At 200 yards; 7 shots in one minute; Possible score 35;

Martin,	20
Pearce,	26
McCallum,	13
Green,	17
Brenton,	18
Anderson,	21
Graydon,	14
Holloway,	14
Barhouse,	19
Grindley,	14
Griesbach,	10
Godall,	4
Haddock,	18
Reid,	11
Ross,	21
McDonald,	21
MacKenzie,	14
Whitelaw,	25
Hooper,	8
McInnis,	20
Jaquish,	20
Heist,	16
Bellamy,	2

DEATH OF MRS. SIFROY TURGEON.

At St. Albert on the 2nd inst., Mrs. Sifroy Turgeon, nee Mathilde Lacasse, died at the age of 44 years. The deceased was a sister-in-law of C. Turgeon, engineer of the fire department in Edmonton. Mr. S. Turgeon and family came to this country two years ago from Beaumont, P. Q. Though recently arrived the deceased had made many friends at St. Albert and her loss will be deeply felt by all. The funeral took place yesterday at the cathedral of St. Albert.

LEDCO.

Owing to the season being pretty well advanced Mr. Alex. Bush has decided not to build his proposed summer hotel and cottages or lay out his grounds at the summer resort at Conjur lake this year. He expects, however, to have this beautiful spot in "ship shape" next spring.

Edwin J. Southwick, liveryman, was united in marriage to Edna, daughter of Ernest Wood, of Ledco, on Aug. 27th last, by the Rev. David Fleming at the manse, Strathcona. Upon their arrival at Ledco they received a cordial welcome from the young folks at the station. Mr. and Mrs. Southwick have taken up their residence in one of Mr. Spencer's houses.

W. N. Trimble returned home to Ponoka on Saturday after disposing of his bunch of broken work horses. His terms were cash and prices reasonable.

LACOMBE.

W. Puffer has moved in his new residence.

M. McLeod has returned from the east.

The Sunday school picnic of the Methodist church took place to-day at Jackfish lake.

A child of Mr. Pabineau, a new comer, narrowly escaped a serious accident. A horse was grazing around the door and the child attempting to drive it away received a kick in the face and arm. Fortunately no bones were broken but the flesh was badly bruised.

J. S. Clarke, of Buffalo lake, while driving one of these dark nights to visit a sick man, J. C. Edmondson, had the misfortune while getting out of the rig in a strange trail to fall and get his shoulder dislocated. Dr. Sharpe, of Lacombe, attended the patient.

A. Chisholm is at present quite ill at the residence of J. Johnson.

Rev. Glover, of the Toronto Methodist conference, spent a few days in Lacombe last week. While here he took the evening service in the Methodist church.

Mrs. (Dr.) Denovan, of Red Deer, was the guest of Mrs. Day on the 29th and 30th.

A large quantity of fruit is being imported by our local dealers.

Harvesting has been hindered a little by the local storms. We are hoping for better weather during the coming month.

The new store on Railway street is rapidly approaching completion.

G. Mobley, sr., is moving into W. Puffer's former residence.

Sept. 1st, '02.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Tuesday.
Victoria—Geo. Roy, P. E. Lessard, L. Savard, town; Levi Lessard, L. Boudreau, A. Hebert, C. Cheigny, St. Albert; J. Daping, John Cousineau, Morinville; E. Jumeau, Riviere Qui Barre.
Grand View—O. O. Felland, Madison, Wis.; Joseph Fren, Spokane; F. A. Mayne, Sault Ste. Marie; P. F. Ingram, Northern Alberta; C. J. Knapp, town; R. J. Veitch, Calgary; Ont.; T. J. Belknap, D. P. Belknap, Leduc.

Alberta—Geo. G. Mann, S. Whitford, Saddle Lake; H. P. Vennity, Lacombe; T. A. Blackburn, Lincoln, Neb.; Joseph Fisa, Spokane; J. S. Pearce, London, Ont.; G. P. Grierson, Anacosta, Mont.; Jas. E. Sheppard, Leduc; E. B. Sisty, Fox, Okla.; C. R. Kirk, Plainview, Neb.
Jasper—Miss Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Davidson, Bon Accord; Wm. Floker, Peter Langlois, Geo. Patry, B. Barton, town.

Queen's—Carl Martin, Leduc; Elio Lendgren, Grattan, Neb.; Ward Clarke, Lacombe; E. C. Roland, Ontario; John Ford, Canmore; Wm. Pratt, C. Braithwaite, A. Cupil, Sturgeon.

Commercial; William Mackenzie, of the Canadian Northern, arrived from the east Saturday, coming in over the new line from Fort William. Mr. Mackenzie states that the work of putting the line in first class shape for hauling this year's crop is progressing, and his road will be able to do their share of the work this fall and winter. In spite of the scarcity of laborers, work on the new extension is being pushed, and as much of the new road as possible will be ironed this fall.

LACOMBE.

Advertiser.
Mr. S. MacLeod went north on Saturday's train.

Mr. J. P. Jepherson, of Calgary, was in town on Tuesday.

Dr. Jamieson, of Edmonton, came in on Saturday's train on a professional visit.

Mr. Geo. May, of the Hudson's Bay Co., Calgary, paid the town a visit on Thursday.

Major Belcher, of Edmonton, came in on Tuesday's train and returned the same day.

Mrs. N. H. H. of Barnet ave., who was so badly cut in the wire fence last week, is doing nicely.

Mr. H. R. Franks, late of the Advertiser staff, left on Friday for his home in London, Ont.

Miss Ola Standish and Miss Addie Mooney, left on Thursday for Regina to attend Normal.

A large crowd passed through on Saturday's train bound for the Inter-Pacific exhibition at Calgary.

A work train came up on Friday to repair the track about two miles north of town. They expect to be through today.

Mr. Cairns, of Lamerton, who has been suffering with pleurisy for some time is improving rapidly under the care of Dr. Simpson.

Mr. Lundy left on Thursday for Calgary to attend the Inter-Pacific exhibition. Mr. Lundy will show his horse at the exhibition.

Const. Macleod left on Saturday's train for Fort Saskatchewan to take part in the annual target practice. Const. Mott will officiate during his absence.

J. S. Clark, of Lamerton, had the misfortune of dislocating his shoulder on Wednesday evening while driving to a neighbors. He is, however, doing well under the care of Dr. Sharpe.

Mr. Knight, manager of the Sugar Beet Factory to be started at Lethbridge, and Apostles J. W. Taylor, of the Mormon church, came up on Tuesday's train and paid a visit to Amas Driggs, 5 miles north of town. Mr. Knight has a very favorable opinion of the country. They returned south on Wednesday's train.

Banks Branching Out.

Commercial.—The grain business that will be done this fall and the general growth of business in the west has made it necessary to the banks that more branches be opened in the various towns. The Canadian Bank of Commerce intends to open in all eight new branches throughout Manitoba and the Territories. Those decided on will be opened at Calgary, Carman, Edmonton, Medicine Hat, Moosomin, Neepawa and Treherne.

The Dominion Bank is opening branches at Brandon and Portage la Prairie.

A prominent banker in speaking of the expected business this fall said that so far as his bank was concerned they were making preparations to avoid the trouble had by several of the banks last year in not having enough cash on hand to meet all demands.

Money is being sent up from the banks' head offices here and these banks which run short of cash will find it hard to get their neighbors to lend any for a couple of days until more can be had from the head office. The rush this year is expected to be greater than was ever known in the west.

Harvest at Lethbridge.

Commercial.—The harvest had just begun on the irrigated lands in the neighborhood of Lethbridge, Alberta, according to a report dated Aug. 23. The crops are principally wheat, oats with some barley and flax. Seventy-five per cent of the acreage is under wheat. It is a heavy crop, and promises to be a good sample. The unusually wet season has made irrigation in most localities unnecessary. The season has been somewhat backward. The ordinary annual rainfall is about eleven inches, but the rain gauge here showed twenty-one inches from May 1 until July 4. On this account the harvest was expected to be late, but recent warm, dry weather is bringing the stuff in very fast. Some cutting has already been done in wheat and barley and even oats. Barley is a new crop, but good grain and a good yield are expected. The season has not been as favorable to potatoes and other root crops as last year, but the year on the whole, will be a good one. The estimated total of wheat for the Carleton, Magrath, Stirling, Raymond and Lethbridge districts is put at between three and four hundred thousand bushels. So far there has been no sign of frost.

Territorial Gazette Notices.

The last issue of the Gazette announces the appointment of R. H. Alloway, of Little Red Deer, Carstairs, Alta., as game guardian.

Certificates of incorporation have been issued to the Moosomin Skating Rink Company (Ltd.), and the Moosomin Curling Club Company. (Ltd.)

Licenses to carry on business within the Territories have been issued to the Creswell Cattle Company, of Colorado, and the American-Abell Engine and Thresher Company (Ltd.), of Ontario.

Election returns are announced. Geo. W. Brown for North Regina, Jas. M. Annis for South Regina, and Geo. M. Annis for Moose Jaw.

Lethbridge P. P. school district No. 51, is authorized to borrow \$8,000 for building in addition to the Lethbridge school and furnishing it.

TRANSIENT ADVERTISEMENTS.

PIANO FOR SALE OR TO RENT.
Apply F. B. Bulletin office. 88-91c.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that on the 1st of October I will shut up the St. Albert trail where it crosses my farm at present, as I have decided a road allowance in its place to the Northwest government, at their request.

88-91c. MALCOLM GROAT.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Plans and specifications may be seen and tenders received at the office of the undersigned not later than noon of the 9th inst., for the erection of Hockey and Curling rinks for R. Record, Edmonton.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
H. D. JOHNSON, Architect.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
All parties are hereby warned not to give credit on my account to my wife, Elsie Wagner, who has left my bed and board without cause.

JOHN WAGNER, Edmo. ton.

Only \$1,000.00 will buy half interest in a good paying grist mill business. For further particulars apply to

A. B. PARADIS, P. O. Box 143, Edmonton.

WANTED.
Good cook. Female preferred. 87-95c. QUEEN'S HOTEL.

ESTRAY MARE.
Bay mare, about 2 years old, white face, white hind feet, no brand. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take away.

H. G. TIMBRES, Dryer Farm, East Edmonton. 87-92c.

LOST.
A bag containing bedding Tuesday night, between Edmonton Cartage Co's office and Williamson Bros. laundry house. Finder leave at Bulletin office and receive reward. 87-91c.

HOTEL TO RENT.
At Athabasca Landing. Good chance for an enterprising man to make money. Apply to

P. O. BOX 36, 87-90c. Edmonton.

FOR SALE.
Boiler and Waterous engine 20 horse power, in excellent repair. Apply to

CUSHING BROS., 87-95c. Edmonton.

TO LET.
Two furnished bedrooms. Apply at this office. 86-11c.

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A good stock farm with stock on shares, with view to purchasing.

FRANK HANSEN, Coalville, Webster Co., Iowa, U. S. A. 85-93c.

RE FREDERICK M. SHOULTS INSOLVENT.
A meeting of creditors and others interested in the estate of the above named M. Shoults will be held in the office of the undersigned on Jasper Avenue in the Town of Edmonton, N. W. T. on Saturday, the 13th day of September, 1902, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of receiving the report of the assignee, considering the best method of disposing of the assets and such other matters affecting the estate as shall be brought forward.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1902. BOWN & ROBERTSON, Advocates for the Assignee.

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Several Dwelling Houses recently erected. Town Lots in good localities. Improved and Unimproved Farm Lands from 7 to 70 miles from Town. Good Value and Good Terms.

KILLEN & GILBERT, Clark's Buildings, Jasper Avenue. 85-93c.

WANTED.
Strong boy, to work in Bulletin office. 87-91c.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Of Frederick M. Shoults, of the Town of Edmonton, in the Northwest Territories, Merchant Tailor.

In the Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories Judicial District of Northern Alberta,

In the matter of the "Judicature Ordinance," and the matter of a certain assignment for the benefit of creditors, dated the 8th day of August, 1902, wherein Frederick M. Shoults, of the Town of Edmonton in the Northwest Territories, Merchant Tailor, is assignor and James J. Dunlop is assignee and trustee.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to the order of the Hon. Mr. Justice Scott, made herein and dated the 11th day of August, 1902, ALL CREDITORS AND OTHERS, having claims against the trust estate above mentioned are required to send in to the above named trustee to send in to the assignee the statement of their claims against the trust estate, verified by statutory declaration, together with the statement of the securities (if any) held by them addressed to James J. Dunlop, Trustee of the estate of Frederick M. Shoults, P. O. Box 94, Edmonton, N. W. T., on or before the 1st day of October, 1902.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the provisions of the said Judicature Ordinance, at the expiration of the time so fixed as aforesaid the trustee shall be at liberty to distribute the trust estate of any part thereof by amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of Dunlop, has then notified, James J. Dunlop, shall not be liable for the trust estate of any part thereof, so distributed to any person whose claim he, the said trustee, shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the trust estate or part thereof.

Dated at Edmonton, this 15th day of August, 1902. BOWN & ROBERTSON, Advocates for the said Trustee.

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The Gallagher-Hull Co., Limited.

Farmers, Attention.

We want all your Hogs and will pay the highest cash price for Live Hogs the whole year round which will give you a permanent market at all times.

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These lands are adapted to both raising grain and stock. There are three lines of proposed Railroads running through this part of the country. These lands can never be bought cheaper than now. We are selling every day and they are not going to last long. Improve the opportunity and place your money where you are sure of securing a good profit by the investment.

Many invest in Mining, some in Oil, some in Bonds; only a few reach the goal; the rest find their hard earned money gone with only a piece of nice paper to tell the story. Why not buy a piece of land one-half mile [] to look at and see it increase from year to year in value until it makes you and yours a nice little fortune? It will surely come. It is only a question of time.

We solicit your trade. Call or write and get maps and information of these cheap lands.

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The Canadian Northwest.

Under the above title the editor of the Farmer, of St. Paul, Minn., who has been on a recent tour through Manitoba and the west, thus writes in his paper:

"Anyone who has not travelled through the Canadian Northwest can scarcely form an adequate idea of the vast extent of the area of that country. In fact, those who have explored the country best are not yet able to tell us the limits of its productive powers, since these are far from being fully ascertained. It is now being ascertained, that hundreds of miles further on than it was thought possible to grow any kind of crops, good wheat and barley and oats can be grown with a marked degree of success. Especially is this true of those portions of the country that lie far toward the mountains Northwest from Edmonton.

"One does not require to travel through the Territories to be convinced that there is yet very much land to be occupied. He will notice this even in the province of Manitoba. During our recent visit to Winnipeg Industrial exhibition we noticed that a few miles from Neche at the boundary, the cultivation of the land practically ceases, a full Winnipeg is reached. We refer to land along the line of that portion of the Canadian Pacific which passes through this territory, in which there would seem to be room for thousands of homes. It is doubtless true, as has been said, that the land in the west referred to is not in every way as desirable as in other localities which have been settled. Much of it lies so level that its productive power will not be brought to its full capacity until it is drained, and this drawback is one reason why the country has not been settled. We believe, however, that much of this land is good. It is probably stiffer and consequently a little harder to work than other areas, but it will doubtless be found that its productive power is greater relatively.

"It is a fact that a great deal more than one-half of the land in Manitoba has never yet been touched with the plow. If this be true of the province first to be settled, what can be said of Assiniboia, Alberta, and other immense provinces, lying to the Northwest. It would not be incorrect to say that in this country is an empire awaiting settlement, and since judging by the present indications it is going to be largely settled by persons coming from the United States, it would seem to be a matter of supreme importance to both countries that the trade relations should be so adjusted that barter could be carried on more easily than at the present. However, these are questions that will in due time receive the attention that their importance deserves.

Manitoba has already given much attention to the growing of live stock. Many excellent herds of cattle and studs of horses have been established in various parts of the province. Our people are already making purchases from that quarter, and the barter in this and other products is likely to be reciprocal. In the face of such facts we can now understand the interest of some of our late dailies to have closer trade relations with the country that lies to the north of us."

Big Land Deal.

Moore Jaw Times: One of the biggest land deals that has taken place in the West this year was closed a few days ago when Harry Hooper, the millionaire land dealer of Des Moines, Iowa, bought out the entire holdings of the Canadian American Land and Colonization Company. These lands are all situated along the Soo line, and comprise nearly all the railway lands between Yellowknife and Drinikwater, and as far east as the supposed extension of the Arcola branch of Regina. Mr. Hooper has received a fine tract and is without doubt the largest individual land owner in the west. The land is now being sold at from \$5 to \$12 per acre and is cheap at that price.

British Immigration.

According to a report of the British board of trade the number of persons emigrating to British North America during the first seven months of the current year has been 41,292, as against 26,567 for the corresponding period last year. The return also shows a great immigration to South Africa.

Last month 19,922 persons left Britain for the United States, as compared with 14,824 in July of last year. During the seven months ended July 21 no fewer than 123,612 emigrated, as compared with 104,154 during the corresponding period last year.

Fatal Shooting Accident.

Cecil Hart, of the Bank of Hamilton, Indian Head, was accidentally shot by a companion while duck hunting on Aug. 23, and died the following day from the injuries received.

Regina Leader: It is probable that the Yukon council will make an exhibit of the products of that northern territory at the several provincial fairs in Canada next year. The exhibit made will include minerals, furs, vegetables, grains, fruits and flowers and will be accompanied by a large number of Yukon views. Prof. Macoun of the Dominion geological survey who is investigating the plant life of the Yukon has expressed his surprise at the productiveness of the soil and says there is no reason why the territory should not raise all the vegetables it require for home consumption. He stated his investigations prove that the climate of Dawson is not an arctic one.

Coal Famine in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg Free Press, Aug. 30.

The price of American anthracite coal in Winnipeg to-day is \$13 per ton. At that figure some citizens are anxious to make contracts for their winter supply, but the dealers refuse to close. They have not got any stock on hand, do not know when they will have, or what price they will have to pay. Orders placed last April have not yet been delivered and the eastern wholesalers cannot give assurance that they can make delivery at any particular time so long as the strike continues. There is practically no coal in the west, and but little in the big eastern and southern consuming centres, and there is just a possibility, unless the strike is called off at once, of local dealers failing to get their usual stocks. In the event of their not doing so hard coal may go up to \$15 a ton or even higher. The price will be high under any circumstances, it appears that the Canadian anthracite mines in the Rockies can find a good market for their entire output in the west, and are not likely to reopen business in the market this season, so that there will be no competition with the American article. The prospective portion then resolves itself into this. Those who cannot afford to buy the American coal at famine prices will have to use Gall or Crow's Nest soft coal at \$8.50 per ton or Souris lignite at \$4.50. One dealer intends to import coal from the Crow's Nest Pass mines if he can get a supply. Coke is used almost exclusively in southern mining regions for domestic purposes. It is said that it works well in stoves and furnaces and makes an intense heat, and has the additional advantage of being free from smoke.

South African Land Act.

The following provisions of the South African land grant act will be of interest to any of our returned soldier boys who desire to take advantage of the act:

1. Application must be made before July 1st, 1903, to government agent.
2. State as for pre-emption.
3. Make an application in duplicate with description and sketch as pre-emption.
4. 160 acres is to measure 40 chains by 40 chains, or 80 by 80 chains.
5. Surveys are to be made at the cost of the applicant and to be completed in 9 months.
6. A volunteer is permitted to appoint a substitute to locate and receive the grant.
7. Land exempt from certain taxation for 5 years if held by the volunteer.
8. Land exempt from execution.

To Carry Our Grain.

Free Press: In alliance with the Canadian Northern, Peterson & Co., of Newmarket, England, have completed preparations for a line of steamers from Port Arthur to Georgian Bay ports for grain carrying. Capt. Thos. Donnelly, of Kingston, has been appointed chief superintendent of the concern, and has arrived in the city to take charge.

The line will be in operation by the middle of September, in time to carry a portion of this year's crop. Four first class steel steamers will be put on the route from Port William and Port Arthur to Georgian Bay ports. The names of the steamers are Turret Cape, Turret Court, Turret Crown, and Turret Chief. They have each a capacity for 108,000 bushels of wheat and have a draught of 17 feet 6 inches.

Three of the steamers are now in the St. Lawrence, en route to Toronto, and the fourth will leave England in a few days.

New Wheat in Winnipeg.

Free Press, Aug. 29.—The first car of new wheat from the city to-day from Dominion City. It has not been officially graded yet, but those who have seen it say that the wheat is No. 1 hard, and a very fine one hard at that. Others are expected to-day and to-morrow from Dominion City and Grohna.

A fine sample of new wheat was received by Mr. R. H. Mair this morning from Oak Lake. He says it would grade No. 1 hard.

Waste of Public Money.

Toronto Telegram: Advocates of a fast Atlantic line dwell upon the unspeakable advantage of having Canada serve as a right of way for the swift journeyings of globe-trotters.

Eastern opponents of a fast Atlantic line insist that the amount of the annual subsidy should be capitalized and \$20,000,000 spent in deepening the river route to Montreal.

Canada is not a nation of summer hotel keepers who could all get rich by feeding the tourists who would be diverted to Canada by a fast Atlantic line.

Nor is Canada a nation of dock laborers who would all grow wealthy trucking United States wheat into the ocean ships that would sail up the ocean-going channel of \$20,000,000 to Montreal.

Canada has other ways to spend her money than in squandering millions to improve the national facilities for attracting English tourists, or for dock laboring in the interests of Montreal, P. Q.

SUICIDE AT BANFF

Banff, Aug. 29.—Lawrence Baynes Reed of Victoria, B. C., shot himself dead here last night. No reason can be given for his act at present. An inquest will likely be held to-day.

Surveying Coal Lands.

Calgary Herald: William Pearce has just returned from the Crow's Nest Pass region, where he is in charge of the survey now going on to select and determine on behalf of the Dominion government 50,000 acres of coal land. It will be remembered that the British Columbia Southern railway for its charter in that region had a land grant of 30,000 acres a mile from the British Columbia government, to be taken from the summit of the Rockies to Kootenay lake, and this land grant embraced all the coal and timber lands in that vicinity, the coal land covering about 150,000 acres. The C. P. R. got control of this railway and in 1897, appeared before parliament for power to build the Crow's Nest Pass railway. It was granted, with a subsidy in cash of \$11,000 a mile from Lethbridge to Kootenay, on condition that the C. P. R. would convey to the Dominion government 50,000 acres of coal lands to be selected by the director of the geological survey, from the British Columbia grant, a fair average being taken over the whole 150,000 acres. In 1900 a survey party was sent out to determine the whole area of this 150,000 acres of coal lands, and to fix its boundaries. In 1901 an other party of surveyors were sent out by the government to obtain the necessary information in what particular parts over this area, the selection of 50,000 acres should be made. The government made its selection this year the surveying party is defining the actual boundaries of the 50,000 acres to be taken over, and Mr. Pearce is in charge of the survey.

Dangers of Smokeless Powder.

The Winnipeg Telegram, speaking of the dangers connected with smokeless powder says:

"The rapidly increasing use of smokeless powder during the past three years has been the cause of much trouble, vexation of spirit, and considerable financial loss in the gun trade, as well as numerous accidents, more or less serious, among the would-be nimrods. This trouble is not confined to any one section of Canada, but is common to all points where men with cheap guns go a-hunting.

"Probably 85 per cent of the guns in general use in Canada are the make known as Belgian; and up to the introduction of smokeless powder gave very good satisfaction, more particularly to those who, having only brief periods to indulge their sporting proclivities, were not anxious to lock up larger sums of money in a fowling piece that would, perhaps, not see the light of day twenty times in a year.

"The Belgian guns are subjected to rigid government inspection before being shipped, but the tests are all made with black powder. It is not surprising, therefore, that when these guns are used with smokeless cartridges there is trouble.

The effect of the smokeless cartridges on the Belgian guns is very curious. In some instances it renders them loose and shaky in every part; a few burst outright, and the barrels are ripped up for more than half their length, but by far the larger number show a break or crack right through the breech action, the metal having very much the appearance of an elm stick broken across the knee, being slightly splintered from both sides."

Telegram: The box threshers of the Sintulala district have formed themselves into an association. The membership fee was fixed at 25 cents. A resolution was passed fixing the wages of pickers, firemen and watermen at \$1.50 per day and for engineers not more than \$75 per month. The price for threshing wheat, oats and barley was fixed at not less than 4 cents per bushel.



Headache.

Pain across the forehead or at back of head is dangerous. It slowly but surely weakens the intellectual powers, impairs the vitality and will. Headache is sometimes from the eyes but more frequently is caused by a disordered condition of the stomach and digestive organs. Do not suffer. The pain can be cured by the harmless remedy

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It ever loosens effect. Cures by driving out the poison, and does not simply deaden the pain as do so many preparations containing narcotics. At 5/6 in the morning will make you well and keep you well.

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DR. HAMMOND IN TOWN.
Dr. Hammond, formerly of Bruce, Ont., gave the Bulletin a pleasant surprise yesterday. He has just arrived from South Africa by way of England and will remain in Edmonton a couple of weeks for his health. Dr. Hammond has been in service throughout most of the late British-Boer war. In 1901 he was with President and Mrs. Kruger and issued a book on South Africa. Later he was wounded but after a six months' furlough returned to the scene of action and was present when peace was declared.

With reference to the coronation attractions in London Dr. Hammond stated that the Canadian arch received more admiration from the throngs than any other display. The sheaves of the arch are largely of Alberta grain and "Alberta" is a common theme of conversation in London.

As to his own views of Alberta Dr. Hammond said: "I have visited every portion of the earth except Persia and I find no place better suited to the general middle class, and no climate so healthy as the Edmonton district of Alberta."

THE TABLES TURNED.

Wednesday afternoon a would-be sharper, whom the police now wish to interview, stepped up to Sam Sing in the Chinese restaurant on Jasper avenue remarking that "he owed a quarter there and if Sam could change a tea he would pay it." Sam dived one hand into his pocket for the change and reached the other for the bill which the stranger handed him closely folded up. Sam found it necessary to get outside assistance in changing that bill before he returned the stranger had disappeared. On unfolding the bill it was discovered to be a one dollar bill with the corners pencilled. 75. Sam is quite jubilant to think he is 75 cents ahead of the game yet. It is stated that the same trick was attempted elsewhere in town. This stranger would make a good occupant for the new guard room at the Fort.

NEW GUARD ROOM AT THE FORT.

It has been found necessary to increase the accommodation for prisoners at either Fort Saskatchewan or Edmonton. A jail site has been secured in Edmonton but it will be some time before the building is complete. To relieve the present situation an additional building is being erected at the Fort. It will contain 14 cells for men, 10 cells and small room for women, 3 officers' rooms, a guard room, a mess room and an extra room.

This will give accommodation for 18 prisoners. The building is 24x48 feet made of plank laid flat and is to be completed by Oct. 1st. The cost will be \$1,400.

Rains Destroying Crops in Western States.

St. Paul, Aug. 30.—Wheat, oats and flax is rotting in the shock and corn of Central Iowa is not likely to mature. A heavy rain prevailed all yesterday and last night over Minnesota and the Dakotas which was preceded by an intermittent rain for ten days. Grain in the shock has suffered and in many localities it has sprouted. Threshing has ceased. Agents of elevators have been sent out to investigate report that around almost every shock there is a fringe of green showing where the grain has sprouted.

Reports received this morning indicate a loss thus far to wheat, oats and flax of twenty-five per cent. Farmers have made the mistake of not stacking and the loss is falling heavily upon them. The late sown flax is reported to be in such condition that it cannot mature before frost, while corn in South Dakota and Minnesota is now raised little better than for fodder. The stalks are green and the ears have not begun to harden. Very little grain has thus far been threshed, but that which has gone through the machines with the exception of flax is of good yield and grade. The flax was injured by a frost and the seed did not form in a large area. If this rain continues for another week the previous estimates for 178,000,000 bushels of wheat for the three states will have to be reduced twenty-five per cent or more.

Sewers for Qu'Appelle

Qu'Appelle, N. W. T., Aug. 30.—This town's sewer system is now assured. The vote on the by-law yesterday carried almost unanimously, it being thirty for and one against, with one spoiled ballot. The by-law calls for an expenditure of \$6,000. The work will be rushed as rapidly as possible and it is expected a good start will be made this fall. The system will ensure dry cellars and basements and encourage the erection of substantial blocks.

Commercial: A. Campbell Shaw, general agent of the Canadian Pacific railway at Chicago, estimates that 5,000 tourists from the middle states have gone to the Canadian Rockies this season. Five years ago the Canadian Pacific was almost unknown in the part of the United States of which Chicago is the centre, but now the line and its attractions are not only well known, but receive a big share of the tourist traffic. Immigration from the middle states to the Canadian Northwest was never so large as this year.

Indian Head, August 29.—Harvesting began Wednesday and will be general in a week. Wages offered to harvesters are \$40 a month.

BACK FROM THE CORONATION.

Bert Edwards, employed in the Brackman-Ker Mills, Strathcona, returned Monday night from England, where he had been present at the coronation ceremonies. Mr. Edwards belonged to the Strathcona Horse, and was chosen as a member of the Canadian coronation contingent sent for June 26th. Instead of returning when the others did he remained a month in England visiting friends and incidentally getting married. Mrs. Edwards accompanied him back. They will take up their residence in Strathcona.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL.

The social given by the Epworth League of the Methodist church, on Tuesday evening was well attended.

Games of a helpful and instructive nature were indulged in, in which all readily took part. Rev. Hodgins gave a reading and Mr. Reid sang a solo, both of which were highly appreciated by the audience.

The large number of young people that were present attested to the growth and popularity of the Epworth League as a young people's society.

AT CALGARY.

Herald, Sept. 2.
Miss Brewer and her nephew, Master Howard Mills, of Edmonton, are the guests during fall week of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Gibson, Smith avenue.

J. B. Mercer, and his mother, wholesale wine merchant of Edmonton, came down last evening and went to Banff this morning.

Alex. Taylor and son, the postmaster at Edmonton, went to Banff this morning.

The manager of the Edmonton Clothing company is in the city on a visit to Wm. Diamond.

OLDS.

Oracle.
The Presbytery of Edmonton meets in Olds on Monday, Sept. 1st.

All the liberals of the district are cordially invited to attend the meeting to be held in Logan's Hall next Saturday evening, (Aug. 30) when delegates will be chosen to represent Olds at the meeting of the Alberta Liberal association which convenes in Calgary the week following.

The Olds baseball boys have received an invitation to play the C. P. R. team in Calgary during the exhibition there next week. The Railway Co. is offering half fare rates to the exhibition, and the Calgary people are offering \$25 towards the boys' expenses. The boys are improving their grounds preparatory to a final practice game to-morrow afternoon when it will be decided whether to accept Calgary's invitation or not.

Mr. W. H. Greenwood, of Carstairs, was in town this week. He says that Carstairs is developing rapidly. A new school district is being formed to be known as the Greenwood school district. As soon as the first assessment is made, the necessary money will be borrowed on the credit of the district for the erection of a school house. It seems the law requires that a district be assessed before any money can be borrowed, a point which other new and prospective districts will do well to note.

FRANK.

Chas. A. Early, of Marysville, B. C., will establish a brickyard in Frank, having secured ground for that purpose from the townsite owners. The ground selected by Mr. Early, on which he has found a bed of first-class clay for his purpose, lies on the north side of the track near the mine spar.

A paper was circulated on Thursday among the business men for signatures asking the Union Bank to establish a branch here and promising that institution their accounts should it do so. The signatures were many and it will be no surprise to those best informed if this branch be opened by the 15th of next month.

The block being put up on Dominion avenue by W. C. Hamilton is now nearing completion. The platgeass for the front has arrived and will be put in at once. When completed this will be one of the finest blocks in town.

From information received during the week it is known that at least two banks are preparing to open branches in Frank, provided each one can get here first.

On Sept. 10th, Frank will have reached the age of one year, and it was intended to have a great celebration to mark the event. Everything was arranged for making it a red letter day when word was received from the C. P. R. stating that special trains could not be run till about a week later. As yet the committee has not decided what course to pursue.

Sixteen thousand tons of coal were shipped from Frank during August, and that in two-thirds time.

Next month will see the Frank & Grassy Mountain railroad completed and turned over to the owners.

Canada Lumbermen: A syndicate has been formed to erect a saw mill at Sloan, B. C. There is a timber limit in the vicinity containing about 20,000,000 feet. It is owned by local people, principal among whom is Mayor York, and it is proposed to put the timber in the syndicate as their share of the capital.

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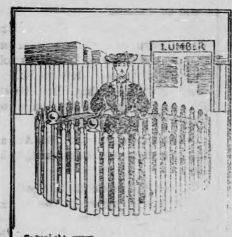
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WEATHER AND CROPS.

The weather this week has been very changeable, but though not tending to ripen the crops very rapidly it has not been injurious to any great extent. A wind has prevailed nearly all week which at times was quite strong. Monday was fine, Tuesday cold and cloudy with light showers, Wednesday fine but cool, Thursday cold and cloudy with a fair shower in the morning and strong breezes. To-day has come out very fine and the weather looks more settled.

Excepting where last week's hail struck the crops are excellent. The heads are well filled this year and cutting was general on Monday. It has been rather cool to ripen the grain very fast but if the weather holds fine it will be well as in some districts labor is scarce and the crop is ripening as fast as it can be handled.

Tuesday's rain was barely enough to stop cutting for a few hours. Thursday's would stop it all day, but farmers are cutting everywhere today. A slight frost was reported Wednesday night in places but as far as can be learned no damage was visible to the grain.

Straw is generally reported shorter than last year but the grain is very plump and a heavy yield is expected. Threshing will begin in two weeks.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Thursday.
Alberta—W. H. James, H. G. Barker, M. O. Hammond, Toronto; W. Strachan, J. A. Robinson, P. C. Sandwick, C. J. Strachan, Montreal; R. J. Henderson, Will Gibson, C. M. Weiss, Winnipeg; H. C. Holden, Kamloops; J. J. Grierson, Oshawa.

Grand View—D. B. Herriott, Iowa Falls, Ia.; J. P. Morton, Hamilton, H. McPherson, Spruce Grove.

Queen's—John Gregg, Fort Resolution; William Hay, Arctic Circle; J. A. McVay, Lacombe; P. S. Sandwick, C. J. Strachan, Montreal; R. J. Henderson, Will Gibson, C. M. Weiss, Winnipeg; H. C. Holden, Kamloops; J. J. Grierson, Oshawa.

Ellerholt—Land—At the church, Lacombe, on Thursday morning, Aug. 28th, by the Rev. M. White, Henry Ellerholt to Rosa Land, of Lacombe.

DEATHS.

Turgeon—At St. Albert, on Tuesday, Sept. 2nd, Mrs. Sifroy Turgeon, nee Mathilde Lacasse, aged 44 years.

THE SPUR LINE.

Negotiations are in progress between the town and Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann with reference to the operating of the spur line. Nothing definite has as yet been decided as to the nature of the service, but it is expected to be settled in the course of a few days.

Mr. Pace, engineer in charge of repairing the track, stated that if this week were fine the track would be in shape to permit an engine running over it Monday night. The rain has caused some loss of time, but even with that the work should be completed before the end of next week. Of course there will be a great deal more work required to put it in permanent shape, this only puts it in readiness for use.

WOMAN'S HOSPITAL AID SOCIETY.

At a meeting of the Woman's Hospital Aid Society it was decided to hold a plug-pouge tournament in the near future. As advertised before the last day of October is to be observed as donation day. Anything will be acceptable from linen to winter vegetables, etc.

The Public Hospital wish to thank through the press the following for contribution during August:

Lettuce, Jas. Storel.
Magazines, Mr. Haddock.
Flowers and vegetables, Mr. Alex. Taylor.

Lettuce and radishes, A. Belcher and Kenneth Edmonson.

Lettuce, Mrs. Wm. McKay.
Fresh vegetables, Donald Ross.
Magazines, K. W. MacKenzie.

Flowers, Mrs. Ottewill, Irene Hunter and D. Ross.

Lettuce, Mrs. Kaine.
Potatoes, Murdoch McLeod.
Case peaches, Hallier & Aldridge.

Case plums, Mrs. Almon.
Vapor bath cabinet, A. W. Beckett.
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\$12.25, Ladies of Clover Bar district.

FUNERAL OF MRS. SIGEFROY TURGEON.

The funeral of Mrs. Sigefroy Turgeon took place at the cathedral of St. Albert on Thursday. Notwithstanding the rain the attendance was large. The pall-bearers were: M. M. Lafleur, Perreault, Belisle, Ringuette, Labbe and Boissoneault. Rev. Father Merer, parish priest, presided at the service, assisted by R. R. Fathers Beaudy and Jose. The singing was ably done by the choir of the St. Albert convent while Sister Truteau played the organ. Mrs. Turgeon, nee Mathilde Lacasse, died on Tuesday last at the age of 44 years. She had come from Beaumont, P. Q., two years ago, and though recently arrived in this country had made many friends at St. Albert. She leaves a husband and two sons to mourn her loss.

CALGARY WINS IN BASEBALL.

Herald, Sept. 3.—This afternoon Calgary beat Cranbrook at baseball, 10 to 6. About 2000 people saw the game and wildly cheered the locals on their second victory. It was a good game and made the locals winners of the series, 2 to 1.

STRATHCONA WINS.

Calgary Herald, Sept. 3.—A fair game of football was played yesterday on the exhibition grounds between Strathcona and Calgary teams, the former winning by a score 2 to 0.

Carberry to Have Electric Light and Telephone.

Carberry, Aug. 28.—The town council, at a special meeting held yesterday afternoon accepted the proposition made by Mr. E. S. Harrison, of Winnipeg, to install an electric light and telephone plant in Carberry. The contract which the council has forwarded to Mr. Harrison for signature requires that the electric light plant be ready for operation by January 1, 1903, that the telephone service in the town be in operation by September 1, and branch lines to Pleasant Point, Wellwood, Brookside and intervening points by January 1, 1904. The council agree to enter into a contract for street lighting for one year at either \$800 or \$650, according to the service selected, and to fix the assessment of the plant at \$5,000. As the terms are practically as suggested by Mr. Harrison it is expected that he will enter into the contract and that the work of installing the plant will be commenced immediately.

Skins of 22,243 Seals.

San Francisco, Aug. 29.—The little steamer Brunswick, from Durban Harbor, Kodiak and the Seal Islands of St. George and St. Paul, has brought in her whole season's catch of seal skins. The furs represent the covering of 22,243 seals, and on the markets of the world they will bring in the neighborhood of \$300,000. The Brunswick's cargo represents the season's work of seal slaughter on and around St. George and St. Paul islands.

Commercial: The Great Northern's new railroad into the Crow's Nest coal fields will be ready by Sept. 15. The coal shipment to United States territory will be handled by the Great Northern via Spokane, and from there distributed to main line points. The Canadian province for its locomotives, and it is expected that immense shipments will be brought eastward, transferred to the North Pacific between the coast lines, and forwarded to the Baltic smelters.

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LOCAL.

—Dr. Hammond, Globe war correspondent in South Africa, is in town.

—Mr. Gregg, of the Post, returned last night from a trip to Montreal.

—Strathcona football team returned from Calgary on yesterday's train.

Herald: J. W. Shera, M. L. A., is in town from Fort Saskatchewan, en route to Winnipeg.

—Rev. C. C. McLaurin, general missionary among the Baptists in the west, will address the B. Y. P. U.

—"The Hands of Jesus," will be the subject of Pastor McDonald's address on Sunday evening at the Baptist church.

—Seth W. Anderson returned last night from a trip to Regina. He states that heavy rains were falling at Calgary yesterday morning.

—A. P. Clark, of the Hudson's Bay Co., arrived from Winnipeg last night. He will leave shortly for his post at Vermilion on the Peace River.

—Revs. Messrs. McQueen, of Edmonton, Fleming, of Strathcona, and Forbes, of Fort Saskatchewan, returned last night from attending the meeting at Olds.

—Warawara Scharnska, a Galician woman, was fined at the police court this morning \$20.00 and costs or one month for disreputable conduct. She goes to the Fort.

—Mr. Rowland, of Park Chapel, Crouch End, London, and three others, Congregational Union delegates to Canada, intend visiting Edmonton shortly. They will also visit the coast.

—G. R. F. Kirkpatrick, manager of the Imperial Bank, and St. Geo. J. J. returned today from an extended tour as far west as Rocky Mountain House. They came down the Saskatchewan by canoe.

—Herald: Chas. Mair, D. W. Iddings, and A. O. Iddings, returned from Edmonton last night. The two latter gentlemen have gone on to Banff to join their colleagues, Judge Fisher. Owing to the illness of one member of the party they were not able to see much of the northern country. They were, however, driven out one day by Messrs. McQuigall & Secord and were well pleased with what they saw.

—The Northwest government have completed the location of drain No. 110 with which it is proposed to drain the country between Strathcona—Ellerslie, and beyond, into Mill Creek; among the good features of this drain will be the improvement to Twin lakes, which were the cause of washouts on the C. & E. last summer, delaying our train service. Ditcher No. 1 now working at Fort Saskatchewan will very shortly be placed on this drain and it is hoped that the work will be finished early next year.

—HERE IN 1862—VISITS AGAIN.
C. Messier, of Thornbury, Gloucestershire, England, is registered at the Strathcona Hotel and is spending a few days in Edmonton and Strathcona preparing for a private hunting expedition to the Peace river valley.

Mr. Messier's desire is to shoot grizzlies and reports of grizzly, black and cinnamon bears being plentiful there has brought him up. He has spent much time in travel and adventure in various parts of the world. In 1862 he travelled through the Northwest, then practically a wilderness, and visited "Fort Edmonton" when the Hudson's Bay post constituted the site.

Mr. Messier is securing guides and supplies for his trip through the Peace valley.

THE WEATHER.

	Max.	Min.	Rain.
Friday,	61	44	02
Saturday,	64	41	01
Sunday,	55	40	
Monday,	65	45	
Tuesday,	69	44	
Wednesday,	68	36	
Thursday,	61	46	35
Friday,	55		

Nicaragua Must Explain.
Washington, Aug. 29.—Columbia will formally demand of Nicaragua an explanation in regard to the latter country's alleged participation in the revolution against the Colombian government and back up her demand with the most formidable land and naval force she can muster as soon as the present rebel activity on the isthmus has been crushed. Information to this effect was received from an authoritative source in Washington today.

Free Press: The Canadian Northern special which left here on Friday with Mr. Wm. Mackenzie and other officials of the road on board made the run to Port Arthur in sixteen hours, that time including several long stops. This is certainly fast time for a new road.

BATTLEFORD.

Herald.
The south span of the bridge is now in position.

The farmers are being blessed with ideal weather for harvesting their magnificent crops.

Richard Bros. this week put on their ranch at the Green Bluff a bunch of 140 young horses purchased from W. H. Sinclair, Saskatoon.

Twelve wagon loads of steel for the bridge arrived on Saturday, and on Monday the rafts of timber for the same structure reached here.

Otto Morin, a former townsman, now of Edmonton, is here on a visit. He came down the river on Prince's raft.

Every available binder in the district is at work, and it will tax them to the utmost to overtake the fast ripening grain.

E. Paylor has two self-binding working over-time in his hundred-acre field of oats. His barley is cut and his wheat will be ready this week. He has 100 acres in grain, and it is all as good as could be desired.

The first tax sale in this district came off on Saturday when a quarter section of land close to town was sold for arrears of taxes due to St. Vital school district, to Mr. Thos. Dewar for \$121.44, the amount due on a section owned by the delinquent.

At Saskatoon, on the 19th August, to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clinksail, a daughter.

During the week R. G. Speers got thirty new members to the Agricultural Society. If the directors in the other districts do relatively as well the society will soon be as strong as when it was one of the best in the Territories. As it is probable many home-seekers will be here about the time of the annual exhibition it would be well if a big push was made to make it a success and show visitors what can be done in the way of raising agricultural products. We are sure the things exhibited will surprise many of them.

A. Saffern, who has been experimenting with different varieties of oats, gives the following results: Of four sown at the same time (White Pearl was cut on the 11th of August; Danish Island on the 18th; Lincoln on the 25th; and all before the American Banner was ready. This sort is the one that has been generally grown here and has given the greatest satisfaction; but Mr. Saffern claims for the White Pearl that while it is at least two weeks earlier it is as heavy a cropper as the Banner.

Yukon Election.
Ottawa, Sept. 2.—A writ will be issued at once for an election in Yukon. Nominations will take place on November 4.

Governor Ross will be the liberal candidate. As he is extremely popular among all classes his election is assured, although he will not be sufficiently recovered by that time to take an active part in the campaign. —Free Press.

Labelle Accused of Double Murder.
Ottawa, Sept. 2.—The mounted police has been notified that Labelle, accused of being connected with the murder of Routhlett and Begudin in the Yukon, was arrested at Woodsword, Nevada, yesterday. Fourrier was arrested a few days ago in Dawson. He is also charged with being a party to the crime. —Free Press.

Residence of Late Sheriff Benson Badly Damaged.
Regina, N. W. T., Aug. 31.—At half past four this morning a fire was discovered at the residence of the late Sheriff Benson. The fire bell rang and some engines at the depot whistled an alarm. There was, therefore, soon a large gathering at the scene of the blaze, in addition to the fire brigade, and every assistance was rendered. Mrs. Benson and the two Misses Bensons obtained refuge with Mrs. W. C. Hamilton, and almost all the furniture was saved. The kitchen was destroyed and the back part of the house much damaged. The loss is covered by insurance. The fire seems to have started in an out-house, as during the day there had been no fire at all in the dwelling. It is curious that the recent fires in Regina have all started in out-buildings. As there has been no fire used in the house during the day the circumstances are suspicious. —Free Press.

Free Press: Saturday afternoon, on the Belkirk branch, a freight train came in contact with a drove of cattle at the five mile crossing. Four were killed outright and a number of others were injured to such an extent that they will have to be slaughtered.



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